

CIA AND RIGHT-WING ELEMENTS HOVERING BEHIND-THE-SCENE AS
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Under the headline, "CIA and Right-Wing Elements Hovering Behind-the-Scene as Leaders of Anti-Communism, Plots, and Corruptions," the Akahata, the JCP newspaper, of 4 January 1965 devoted pages 4 and 5 to a report on the discussion meeting held by six reporters of this paper in which the political posture and the so-called 'dark environs' of the Sato Cabinet were purportedly taken up.

The implication, in essence, of the report is that the right-wing cabinets of Japan have been maintaining ties with CIA since Kishi's days and that although not as openly as Ikeda, Sato is continuing to do the same through 'back doors'.

Other Japanese accused of maintaining ties, directly or indirectly, with CIA include Murai Jun, former Cabinet Research Chamber Director, Osano Kenji (Kokusai Kogyo - International Enterprises), and Watanabe Takeshi (former director, World Bank). Kishi, according to this report, is to visit the U. S. to contact the CIA.